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Appl. No: : "Not Yet Assigned"

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For : IMAGE PROCESSOR, IMAGE-PROCESSING METHOD, AND  
IMAGE-PROCESSING PROGRAM PRODUCT

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Prior to an examination of the above-identified patent application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the specification as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this Amendment.

**Remarks** begin on page 4 of this Amendment.